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TAGS: OVIP (MONDALE, WALTER F.)

SUBJECT: VICE PRESIDENT'S TRIP

1. FOREIGN OFFICE NOTE DATED MARCH 1 ENCLOSES COPY OF INVITATION
DATED 27 FEBRUARY 1978 FROM FOREIGN SECRETARY ROMULO TO VICE
PRESIDENT MONDALE TO BE "OFFICIAL GUEST" OF GOP APRIL 14-15.
ACCORDING TO NOTE THE OFFICIAL COPY OF INVITATION WAS FORWARDED
SAME DATE THROUGH PHILIPPINE EMBASSY WASHINGTON TO THE
VICE PRESIDENT.

2. FULL TEXT OF INVITATION FOLLOWS:

QUOTE DEAR MR. VICE PRESIDENT:

HAVING BEEN INFORMED OF YOUR TRIP TO THE PACIFIC REGION,
WHICH INCLUDES MANILA, PRESIDENT FERDINAND E. MARCOS INSTRUCTED
ME TO EXTEND TO YOU A MOST CORDIAL INVITATION TO BE THE OFFICIAL
GUEST OF THE PHILIPPINE GOVERNMENT DURING YOUR BRIEF STAY IN
THE PHILIPPINES WHICH, REPORTEDLY, WILL BE FROM 14 TO 15
APRIL 1978.

HOPING THAT YOUR TRIP TO THIS COUNTRY WILL AFFORD YOU THE
OPPORTUNITY TO DISCUSS WITH APPROPRIATE PHILIPPINE GOVERNMENT
AUTHORITIES BILATERAL AND MULTILATERAL ISSUES AS WELL
AS MATTERS THAT WILL HELP PROMOTE BETTER UNDERSTANDING
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AND COOPERATION BETWEEN YOUR COUNTRY AND MINE, I TRUST
THAT YOU WILL NOT FIND IT INCONVENIENT TO ACCEPT THIS
INVITATION.

VERY TRULY YOURS, (SIGNED CARLOS P. ROMULO) SECRETARY
OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS UNQUOTE

3. COMMENT: WE ASSUME THAT FORMAL INVITATION AT THIS STAGE REFLECTS ROMULO'S ACUTE SENSE OF PROPRIETY. WE HAD BEEN AWARE OF SOME CONCERN IN DFA ON THIS SCORE SINCE FEBRUARY 28.

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